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## PRESIDENT McGINLEY PRESIDING

PRESIDENT: Report to the Chamber for the afternoon session. Roll call is in process. Members, please report to the Chamber for the afternoon session. Roll call is in progress. Will members of the Legislature please report to the Chamber for the afternoon session. While we are waiting for a quorum to appear, the Chair would like to announce that guests of Senator Beyer in the Chamber in the South balcony are 43 students of the fourth grade from District 46, Springfield accompanied by Fern and Mary Hlavac and Becky Parkhurst. And in the North balcony are 53 students of the seventh and eighth grades from St. Bernards in Omaha accompanied by Charlet Connelly, their teacher, and they are guests of Senator Vard Johnson. We welcome you to the Legislature. The Chair might explain that we are in the process of taking up an afternoon session now and we have to have at least 25 members of the Legislature in order to be able to do business. The voting board that you see shows 26 members now present and very shortly I will ask the Clerk to record the roll. Under the South balcony we have guests of Senator Hoagland, Mollie Hillary and Sydney Foster; Susan Hendricks and her children, Jennifer, Michael, and Steven, and we acknowledge your presence in the Chamber under the South balcony. Welcome. Will all the members of the Legislature throughout the building, in your offices or wherever, will you please report to the Chamber for the afternoon session. The Clerk will record those present.

CLERK: There is a quorum present, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Quorum present. The Legislature is in session. Do you have any announcements on the desk, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: No, sir, I do not.

PRESIDENT: How many do we have excused at the present time? We have 27 members of the Legislature who recorded their presence and I guess we will plow ahead with LB 602. Could we have order in the Chamber and the Clerk will read the title of 602.

CLERK: Mr. President, 602 was last considered this morning. At that time the E & R amendments were adopted to the bill. I now have a series of amendments to the bill, the first being offered by Senator Warner.

PRESIDENT: Senator Warner.